DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...	Report not received	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolás
Ragi		
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is fairly supplied in all the taluks, except Closepet Town, where the Deputy Amildar reports that no ragi was brought for sale.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations for the cultivation of Vaisakhi paddy are going on in parts of Hoskote and Nelamangala Taluks.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in parts of Devanhalli Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, avare, togari, kulthi, mulberry are in good condition.

Damages to crops.—Avare, togari and castor crops are reported to have been damaged by insects in some of the villages of Kankanhalli Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk; paddy in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks, avare in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Dodballapur and Magadi Taluks; kulthi in parts of Hoskote, Kankanhalli and Magadi Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Estimated outturn.—Sugar-cane—Kankanhalli Taluk, 12 annas; paddy—Kankanhalli Taluk, 12 annas; Magadi Taluk, 10 annas; Nelamangala Taluk, 8 to 10 annas; Devanhalli Taluk, 8 annas; ragi—Devanhalli and Nelamangala Taluks, 8 to 12 annas; Kankanhalli Taluk, 8 to 10 annas; Magadi Taluk, 10 annas; kulthi—Nelamangala Taluk, 8 to 10 annas; Kankanhalli and Magadi Taluks, 8 annas; Anekal Taluk, 4 to 8 annas; togari—Magadi Taluk, 8 annas; avare—Nelamangala and Magadi Taluks, 8 annas; Anekal Taluk, 4 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available, but prices are still ruling high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Plague prevails in all the taluks, except Hoskote, Channapatna and Closepet Sub-Taluk and small-pox in parts of Nelamangala and Devanhalli Taluks. Cholera cases are reported in Herindyapanahalli of Kankanhalli Taluk. Public health is otherwise generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Vaisakhi paddy in all the taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Karthika paddy in all the taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; except Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli, yield 8 to 10 annas; sugar-cane in the taluks of Chintamani, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 16 annas; horse gram in the taluks of Chintamani and Mulbagal, yield 4 annas; avare and togari in the taluk of Sidlaghatta and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 4 annas.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, horse gram and hutchellu are reported to be in good condition.

10. Season prospects.—Good. Prices of food grains have not shown signs of decrease. Labour available for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in some places of the Mulbagal Taluk and plague in one village of the Sidlaghatta Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in all the parts of the district, except Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Avare, togari and horse gram in all the parts of the district, except Gubbi Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield avare and togari 2 annas, 4 annas and horse gram 8 annas. Horse gram in all parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas. Castor in parts of Pavagada Taluk and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks, yield 8 annas. Hutchellu in parts of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk; paddy in parts of Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks, yield 8 annas. Sugar-cane in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, avare, togari, horse gram, jola, kadale, castor and wheat are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season fairly good. The market is well supplied, but the prices are still very high.

11. Public health is good in all parts of the district, except for plague in parts of Tiptur Taluk.

12. Except for foot and mouth disease in parts of Maddagiri Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk and for Chappe roga in parts of Pavagada Taluk, cattle are healthy in all parts of the district. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied except in Nagamangala Taluk where it is reported to be scantily supplied that food grains are not sufficiently brought for sale to the local markets.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—The standing crops are Bengal gram, castor, ragi, jola, haraka, black gram, sugar-cane, avare, togari, ramtil, horse gram, coriander, cotton, mulberry and paddy and they are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks; jolam in Chamrajnagar Taluk; ragi in Seringapatam, Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks; horse gram in Seringapatam, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, Krishnarajpete, T.-Narsipur and Nagamangala Taluks; togari in Hunsur, T.-Narsipur and Gundlupet Taluks; chillies in Hunsur Taluk; coriander, avare and castor in Gundlupet and ramtil in Gundlupet and Nagamangala Taluks and avare and ramtil and coriander in T.-Narsipur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fairly good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet and T.-Narsipur Taluks.

12. Except for Doddaroga in parts of Gundlupet Taluk, cattle are generally healthy, Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are fairly supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane, kar paddy, togari, horse gram, Bengal gram, avare, onions, garlic and potatoes are in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi, sugar-cane coffee, cardamom, paddy, horse gram, chillies, cotton, avare and togari are being harvested. Owing to untimely rain, coriander, togari and menthya crops are reported to have been damaged in Arkalgud Taluk.

Crops sown.—Kar paddy in Hassan Taluk; Vaisakhi paddy in Arsikere Taluk are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good, but influenza in a mild form in Hassan Town and in parts of Hassan Taluk; plague in Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Towns and parts of the latter taluk are reported to be prevailing and plague is reported to be abating in Anati, Channarayapatna Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA

8. Markets are fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing in Sorab and Sagar Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Kar paddy in Channagiri Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane, wheat, bilijola, kar paddy, togari, Bengal gram and pepper are reported to be in moderately good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy and ragi in Sorab Taluk and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk; sugar-cane in Shikarpur, Sagar, Sorab, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk; arecanut in Tirthahalli and horse gram, ragi, avare, togari and jola in Channagiri Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. There is plague in five villages in Honnali Taluk, and in one village in Shikarpur Taluk. Small-pox prevails in some villages in Shimoga Taluk and Shimoga Town. Fever is reported to exist in some villages in Shikarpur and Tirthahalli Taluks and Shikarpur Town.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. The markets were fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Mudgere Taluk.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur Taluk—avare, wheat, kulthi, Bengal gram, cotton, fenugreek, sugar-cane, coriander, gingelly and garlic; Kadur Taluk—jolam, wheat, garlic, sugar-cane, Bengal gram, coffee, avare and paddy; Tarikere Taluk—sugar-cane, coffee, wheat and cotton; Koppa Taluk—areca, sugar-cane and coffee; Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—coffee, sugar-cane and areca. The standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur Taluk—coffee, avare and sugar-cane, estimated yield 12, 8 and 10 annas, respectively; Kadur Taluk—avare, kulthi, castor, sugar-cane, chillies and coffee, estimated yield 8 annas, arhar and Bengal gram, estimated yield 4 annas; Tarikere Taluk—kulthi, coffee, Bengal gram and cotton, estimated yield 8 annas; Koppa Taluk—coffee and sugar-cane, estimated 12 and 8 annas, respectively; Mudgere Taluk—coffee and cardamom, estimated yield 8 to 12 annas, respectively; Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—paddy and areca, estimated yield 12 and 8 annas, respectively.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Prices continue to be high.

11. Except for small-pox and plague in parts of the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Koppa Taluks and plague in parts of the Tarikere Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Kadale, bilijola, wheat, castor, cotton, avare, sugar-cane, paddy, tobacco and kusume are reported to be in fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in the Chitaldrug, Challakere, Molakalmuru, Hiriyur and Holalkere Taluks.

Crops harvested.—castor, horse gram, kadale, avare and togari in the Chitaldrug Taluk (yield 2 to 8 annas); horse gram and castor in the Challakere Taluk (yield 8 annas); sajje, navane, haraka, horse gram, ragi and tobacco in the Hiriyur Taluk (yield 4 to 8 annas); avare and horse gram in the Holalkere Taluk (yield 4 annas); ragi, jola, horse gram and avare in the Davangere Taluk (yield 8 to 12 annas); horse gram in the Molakalmuru Taluk (yield 8 annas); togari in the Jagalur Taluk (yield 2 annas); castor, cotton, chillies, togari and avare in the Hosdurga Taluk (yield 4 to 8 annas) and wheat in the Harihar Sub-Taluk (yield 8 annas).

10. Prospects of the season fair. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Food stuffs are available but the prices remain high.

11. Public health is generally good, but for plague at Biderkere in the Holalkere Taluk, Davangere, Alur, Avergola and Nittapalli in the Davangere Taluk and Halekal and Basavanakote in the Jagalur Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Foot and mouth disease prevailing in certain villages of Challakere, Holalkere, Molakalmuru and Hosdurga Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

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